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In this Department we are continually showing new stuff; if you are looking for anything in this line please call.

## Boys' Clothing

The largest and most complete stock of Boys' Clothing just opened.

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We call attention to our Boys' Wash Suits at \$1.50 a Suit.

## FASHION AND SOCIETY

Did it ever occur to you how hopelessly stupid the average society woman is? It seems impossible for her views to become enlarged, and she clings tenaciously to the usual petty subjects that come under the head of small talk. Heaven defend us from the small talk of the up-to-date society woman. She would do much to be uncommonly beautiful and intensely bewitching in order to gain the least attention, and even then I have seen a man turn with a sigh of relief to the bright woman who had an original idea or two.

A woman who has figured largely in the affairs of her sex was asked recently to give a few words of advice which might be of use to women in all walks of life. "One practical hint that has been suggested to me by long experience," she wrote, "will help any woman to develop her faculties. My advice is to be yourself, or be original. These words may of may not contain as much wisdom as they seem, but one thing is certain, that very few women are original, and when they are unusual in any way their own sex are the first to condemn. Strange indeed must be the woman who can endure the sarcasm of her own sex."

The use of gold is by far the most striking feature of the autumn fashions, and the effects obtained are exceedingly good, but one wonders how the gold galore and entre-deux and embroidery will stand wear and weather. On carriage and house gowns it may be serviceable enough, but it is fairly safe to predict that many of the street gowns and coats now being fashioned will look like the war of 1812 before holiday time. When it is only a question of renewing gold braid, this deflection may not cause much trouble, but the new gowns are wonderfully and fearfully made, and many of them will be ruined beyond repair if the gold in their trimming plays them false. It is well for the woman of moderate income to bear this in mind when ordering her autumn outfit, and to use good trimming that can be easily freshened or replaced. Another thing to remember is the fact that it is the poorest economy to buy cheap tinsel trimming. Even the best tarnishes badly enough, and the cheap gold is practically worthless.

The new neckwear which is blossoming out in bewildering profusion just now shows many touches of gold. Tucked stocks of white or colored silk have a narrow line of gold applique, or braid at the top, and a cravat of gold ribbon, from whose ends dangle tiny gold balls or tassels. Plastrons and collars of gold cloth are seen in the best shops, embroidered in Oriental colors, and are exceedingly effective inside coat bodies or with the popular white costumes.

The Russian blouse, so becoming to slight figures, is very popular this season. The entente cordiale between France and Russia has led French designers into various Russian byways of fashion this season, just as sympathy with the arms during the Dreyfus trial led to the rage on military gold. French fashions are interesting commentaries upon administrative policies and popular sentiment, if one cares to study them in that light, but the average student of fashion is of the Peter Bell persuasion and "the Russian blouse upon a figure trim, a Russian blouse is to him." Apologies are due to Mr. Wadsworth, but if he could see the Russian blouse of the period he would undoubtedly admit that his primrose was honored by association with it.

Evening gowns, even on classic empty lines, show a leaning toward gorgeousness this season, and white and gold is a favorite motif. Gold lace entre-deux is introduced upon even the filmy white materials, and from under ruffles edged with gold lace flicker deliciously under cloud-like skirts of chiffon, tulle, etc., and match the white and gold silks worn beneath them, and the white silk stockings gold-embroidered. Simple evening gowns are, however, a possibility. One I saw of palest pink crepe de Japan was a skirt made entirely of graduated tucks, the broader ones at the bottom being in reality cut folds fitted to the skirt, but simulating tucks. The decollete bodice was made of tiny tucks running round the waist, and was devoid of trimming, save for the mouseline and lace fichu that folds around the back of the decollete, crosses the shoulders and ends at either side of the front, in a knot and jabbed ends. The other evening gown, more simple in design but more striking in material, was a Marie Antoinette model. The bodice and train were flowered silk in pastel shades on a white ground, and the bodice front and petticoat were of cream mouseline. The mouseline vest was closely tucked and the bodice finished to the exaggerated Louis XVI point, the skirt being a trifle bouffant under this point and across the hips. A tucked flounce of mouseline is set on the petticoat in a point corresponding to the line of the bodice point. A Marie Antoinette fichu of mouseline edged with tucked frills is the only trimming of the bodice.

One of these fichus, together with a bow frills for the sleeves, and a round velvet girdle, is all the trimming needed for most bewitching little house gowns of pale blue crepe, "nuns' veiling" or any of the soft silks, and such frocks, pleasing as they do are most serviceable items of a wardrobe. There is everything in the drapery of a fichu, and one must be content to stand before a mirror for a tiresome time in trying effects of lines and folds if one wants to fathom the possibilities of this most becoming adjunct of the new gowns.

Golf costumes for autumn wear are being turned out in surprising numbers, and though most of them bear the same relation to golfing that the chic bathing suits bear to the salt sea waves—they are good to look at. The girl with a golf score to maintain will get into a sensible, unsplorable golf skirt and a loose flannel shirt waist, which she will soon stretch into unrecognizable shape, and will play her game, but there are others. They play golf as though they were handling brasses, and they couldn't possibly get a full swing without dire casualties to hoops and straps and buttons, but they are distinctively decorative, and

that may be better than lowering a score. All the bows for the hair have been infected by the gold microbes, and a bit of gold gauze ribbon is twisted into the black velvet and the white satin bows that are so practical for ordinary dinner and home wear.

The new four-cent silk is a changeable silk under a new name; but it has a new beauty as well, and obtains color effects never before achieved in changeable material.

Bronze shoes are creeping back into favor, and many fancy shoes and slippers show bronze in combination with pastels colors. A craze for fancy and bizarre footwear is predicted, but is hardly probable, in spite of the season's many vagaries.

Whipped—By George! the Widow Brimmer is a stylish bit. I don't know but I'd make up to her if I thought there was any chance.

Towman—Don't worry, old man. If there is any chance for you in that quarter the widow will soon make you aware of it. She won't wait for you to ask, if she has made up her mind to take you.

Mr. James B. Castle did not return as was expected, but will remain in the States for two months longer.

Mrs. F. M. Hatch is at the Battle Creek Sanitarium for her health.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Schaefer of Nahuale avenue gave a dinner last Monday evening for Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell. Covers were laid for twelve. The table was beautifully decorated with yellow candles and yellow cosmos. Toasts were exchanged and the evening was a most enjoyable one. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Mott-Smith, Dr. and Mrs. Cooper, Mr. Hatch and Miss Schaefer.

Tuesday evening Governor and Mrs. Dole entertained at dinner Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell, Captain and Mrs. Slater, Judge and Mrs. Estee, Dr. and Mrs. Day, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar White, Mrs. Weaver, Miss Cartwright, Mr. and Mrs. John Waterhouse, Mr. J. A. McCandless and Captain Merry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Hawes, Jr., gave a swimming party at Sans Souci last Tuesday evening. A swimming cotillion led by Mr. Mizner and Mrs. Fowler was one of the features of the evening. The spacious lanai overlooking the sea was lighted by Japanese lanterns and the singing boys discoursed sweet music. After supper dancing was indulged in until a late hour. The guests were Mrs. Fowler, Mrs. Hassan, Miss Lily Neumann, Miss Castle, Miss E. Castle, Miss Bacon, Miss Walker, Miss G. Walker, Mrs. Boye, Mrs. J. Walker, Mrs. Widdifield, Miss Widdifield, Mrs. E. Damon, Mrs. Carmichael, Miss G. Scott, Miss Sadie Carter, Miss Schaefer, Miss Mist, Mrs. Pond, Mrs. Swanzy, Mrs. James Castle, Mrs. Tenney, Mrs. E. Williams, Mrs. Neumann, Mr. Swanzy, Dr. Maxwell, Mr. Hatch, Governor Cleghorn, Mr. Marks, Mr. Percy Pond, Mr. A. Mizner, Mr. Tarn McGrew, Mr. Ned Macfarlane, Captain Merry, Major Ennis, Captain Slater, Dr. Carmichael, Mr. Hanson, Dr. Garvin, Mr. Walker, Mr. C. Walker, Mr. Frank Armstrong, Mr. Boyd, Mr. Mist, Mr. C. Mist.

Mrs. Dole gave an elaborate luncheon to sixteen ladies last Tuesday.

Friday afternoon Miss Walker gave a small tea at Waikiki to several friends.

Mr. Clive Davies gave an "at home" Saturday afternoon at Craigside, Nuanu valley, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. George Davies. The affair was most brilliant. The beautiful grounds are well adapted for an out-of-doors affair, and the refreshments were served English fashion on the lawn. Tennis was the attraction for the younger set.

Mrs. White, sister-in-law of Mrs. J. B. Castle, arrived on the Peking from Massachusetts for an extensive visit. She is a Norwegian by birth and a most accomplished and beautiful singer.

Miss Adele Widdifield will sail on November 27th.

Mr. Cleghorn entertained at dinner Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Walter Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. Swanzy, Mr. and Mrs. A. Isenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Schaefer, Mrs. James B. Castle, Miss Robertson and Captain Merry. The table was exquisitely decorated with brilliant cardinal flowers and ferns in great profusion. Native fruits were partaken of and added to the beauty of the picture by their vivid coloring.

Mrs. McGrew is entertaining a large company at Tanalanu over Sunday.

Mrs. Irene Brown's riding party last week for Mrs. Fowler was a great success. The whole party rode over the island by the Pali, remaining at the Waialua hotel until Friday.

The French consul has been quite ill with malaria.

Thursday afternoon Miss Sadie Carter entertained a number of friends at afternoon tea.

The marriage of Miss Wall and Mr. S. C. Smith will take place Friday evening at 8 o'clock at St. Andrew's Cathedral.

Later in the season Mrs. Dole will entertain only one Friday in the month, instead of every Friday, which must be a great tax upon her health.

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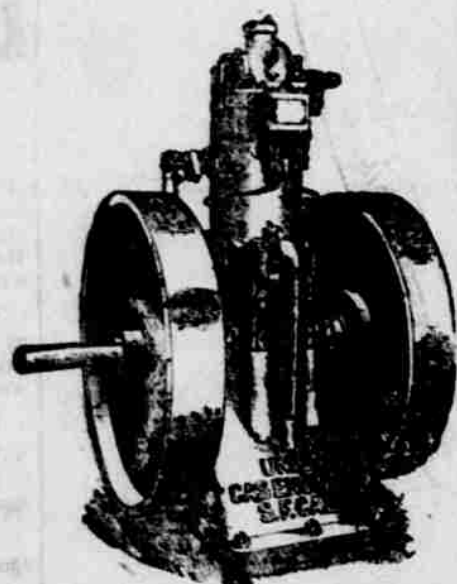
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